



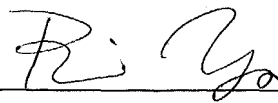
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understand both English and Japanese, am the translator of the English  
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